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think it's very narrow. Senator Landis and the Banking Committee agreed, and I appreciate their participation in this process. I know that we are on consent but I wanted to take just a little bit longer to explain the amendment to make sure that it is clear, and also to create a record, Madam President. I'd be happy to answer any questions, and would yield back my time.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator...thank you, Senator Kristensen. Senator Wehrbein.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Madam Speaker and members, just so Senator Kristensen knows that there is more than one listening to him, I want to concur with his presentation and urge you to vote accordingly. Thank you.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator. Is there any further discussion on the advancement of LB 285? Seeing none, Senator Kristensen, do you wish to close?

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: I would waive, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Closing is waived. The question before you is the advancement of LB 285. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Please record.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of 285.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 285 advances. LB 47.

CLERK: LB 47 introduced by Senator Crosby. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 9, referred to the Banking Committee, advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending, Madam President. (See AM0126 found on page 516 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair recognizes Senator Crosby to open on the bill.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Madam President. LB 47 creates a narrow exception to Nebraska's broad statutory exemption for